

Art Unit: 2876

in claim 42, line 3, substitute "whose" with --having--;

in claim 42, line 3, insert --that-- between "means" and "are"; and

in claim 43, line 1, substitute "A" with --The--.

IN THE ABSTRACT:

~~in line 11 (the next to last line)~~, delete "means".

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Allowable Subject Matter

2. Claims 26-35 and 38-43 are allowed.
3. The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: regarding claims 26 and 38, the prior art of record fails to teach or fairly suggest either alone or in combination thereof a portable electronic object and method for using the portable electronic object wherein the control members are a tactile crystal including at least two electrodes,
wherein the portable object includes
a member for detecting activation of each of the at least two electrodes, the detection member being connected to a management unit;
and wherein a control unit is arranged for deactivating a control member processing member when simultaneous activation of the at least two electrodes is detected;
regarding claim 28, the prior art of record fails to teach or fairly suggest either alone or in combination thereof a portable electronic object further including